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EXTRA SPECIAL SALE OF CLOTHING!

Men's Stylish Up-to-Date



Every one worth the regular price, but we want to sell them. Here is what they will cost at the reduced price. The difference between the former price and the present is just what you save, for every suit is worth the original price.

We Sell You

| | |
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| A \$5.00 Suit for..... | \$ 4.00 |
| A \$6.00 Suit for..... | 4.75 |
| A \$7.50 Suit for..... | 6.25 |
| A \$10.00 Suit for..... | 7.50 |
| A \$12.50 Suit for..... | 9.50 |
| A \$15.00 Suit for..... | 11.50 |
| A \$18.00 Suit for..... | 13.50 |
| A \$20.00 Suit for..... | 15.50 |

Youths' Suits, Sizes 30 to 35.

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| \$ 4.50 Suit for..... | \$ 3.50 |
| 5.00 Suit for..... | 4.00 |
| 6.00 Suit for..... | 4.50 |
| 7.00 Suit for..... | 5.75 |
| 10.00 Suit for..... | 7.50 |
| 12.50 Suit for..... | 9.50 |
| 15.00 Suit for..... | 11.50 |

TO CLOSE OUT

Our Stock of Spring
and Summer Clothing.

We have decided to place the knife deep into every suit and odd pair of pants of this season's stock. We don't want to carry a piece over. These low prices offered should move them.

Every Suit, Every Pair
of Odd Pants a Bargain.

A bona fide Sale! No fake! An opportunity you do not often get. This is a regular Money-Saver to every one that purchases.

Good Qualities and Low Prices.

These Goods will not be equaled. No one will show you as large a selection. Please note prices, come and see the goods, and you will be convinced that every suit and every pair of pants is a BARGAIN. Come all. They are yours while they last for the above price.

Suits, \$1.00 Pair Pants for..... \$.75

\$ 1.50 Pair Pants for..... 1.20

2.00 Pair Pants for..... 1.50

2.50 Pair Pants for..... 1.85

3.00 Pair Pants for..... 2.25

3.50 Pair Pants for..... 2.65

4.00 Pair Pants for..... 3.15

5.00 Pair Pants for..... 3.75

6.00 Pair Pants for..... 4.75

Here You Are For



A Very Large Line of Popular Sizes. Prices To-day:

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|----------------------------|--------|
| \$1.00 Pair Pants for..... | \$.75 |
| 1.50 Pair Pants for..... | 1.20 |
| 2.00 Pair Pants for..... | 1.50 |
| 2.50 Pair Pants for..... | 1.85 |
| 3.00 Pair Pants for..... | 2.25 |
| 3.50 Pair Pants for..... | 2.65 |
| 4.00 Pair Pants for..... | 3.15 |
| 5.00 Pair Pants for..... | 3.75 |
| 6.00 Pair Pants for..... | 4.75 |

Boys' Knee-Pant Suits, Ages from 14 to 16 Yrs.

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| \$1.50 Suits for..... | \$ 1.00 |
| 2.00 Suits for..... | 1.50 |
| 2.50 Suits for..... | 1.75 |
| 3.00 Suits for..... | 2.25 |
| 3.50 Suits for..... | 2.50 |
| 4.00 Suits for..... | 3.00 |
| 5.00 Suits for..... | 3.50 |
| 6.00 Suits for..... | 4.50 |

A Full Line of Sizes. Bring the Boys in.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

NEW YORK FASHIONS

This is certainly a season of fancy skirts.

Tight-looking little black jackets are worn with white or light skirts.

The miniature brooch now yields place to the sleeve link. A new fad is for lovers to present each other with sleeve links, each bearing the owner's picture.

The ruby has, from remote ages, been a favorite brooch stone. It is a lucky gem, keeping away bad dreams, good spirits, etc., and is now enjoying a revival of old time popularity.

The woman whose halo does not curl naturally or stay in curl, blesses the world in style this summer.

For girl babies of two years, Peg & Co., of New York, show some beautiful little Mother Hubbard frocks of the sheerest materials. Their "princ" pal points of trimming are tiny tucks, fine lace, broderie, edgings and insertions, and the narrowest of shoulder ruffles.

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Every pair of shoes we offer in Men's, Women's and Children's, are made on the newest shaped lasts. And every shoe is made by expert workmen from fine Calf and Kid and finished in the best manner. And to make possession easy we sell to fit all pocket-books.

Many other Styles of Oxfords.

RICE & ARNOLD,
Successors to WALLACE & RICE.

THE BOY'S DESIRE
for stylish shoes should be gratified, when style, strength and durability can be found combined in footwear. A boy will take more care of handsome shoes. Our assortment of Boys' Footwear will please the boy and satisfy the parent. Each pair is made of particularly tough, but very pliable calf, and we are offering them at astonishingly low prices.

WATCH US!

Our Great One-Fourth Off Clearing Sale is now going on.

Values not Considered.

Everything has had the bottom knocked out. Suits, Odd Pants, Underwear, Shirts, Hosiery, Shoes, Hats, in fact everything in the house has been reduced to

One-Fourth Off.

IT WILL BE

Money in your pockets to give us a look. If you care to make money on your purchases come and see us.

Our Goods are First-Class and Up-to-Date

H. J. STRENG,
The Clothier, The Shoer, The Hatter, The Furnisher.

We are closing out all our goods in order to remodel our house. Clothing, hats, shirts and underwear at your own price at Stouffer's new Main Street store, next door to Farmer's National Bank.

The weeds and grass have lifted their heads in thanksgiving for the copious showers.

One of the best rains of the year fell on Saturday night. It was a gully-washer.

The recent rains are worth a million or more dollars to this county.

Home grown watermelons are on the market.

The Richmond Climax.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 2, - 1899

-Dr. Hobson, Dentist.
-Mr. Otis Lasee, at Boonesboro, is recovering.

-Picnic and dance at Boonesboro Saturday.

-Miss Nancy A. Tudor is teaching in a school at Berea.

-Report of gun club shoot last week omitted for want of space.

Mr. Joe Mackey will serve dinner at the fair ground - during the fair.

-Hon. G. G. Gilbert will speak at the Court House here next Monday at 2 p. m.

-Our always excellent and welcome Valley View letter, with many others, is omitted of necessity.

-Our Boonesboro correspondent should write again. We have only room for two extracts this week.

-Moore Bros., of Red House, claim the best crop of corn in the county. It is estimated at 20 barrels to the acre.

-Hon. G. G. Gilbert will speak at the Court House here next Monday at 2 p. m.

-Sam Campbell, of Paint Lick, has a live rattlesnake five feet long, captured in the Boone Gap Tunnel, below Berea.

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-During the Fair drop in at Freeman's and get a pair of shoes at prices cut in two. See ad.

-Wiedemann's famous comedians at the Opera House this week. It is one of the best shows on the road.

-Thanks to Dr. Northcutt for a fine specimen of the Goebel bug. It beats a Bolton bug all hollow.

-Photographer Singleton has sued for divorce from his wife at Lexington on the charge of abandonment.

-Bill Fife, the Kirkville cowboy arrested for hog stealing, was held over to the grand jury by Judge Turpin.

-All the children should be taken to hear the Six-Boy-Band at Court House tomorrow night. Adults 35, children 25.

-The great \$1,000 premium for best saddle horse, mare or gelding will be contested for to day at 12:30 at the Fair grounds.

-Special Stanford Train To-day.

A special train to the Richmond Fair will pass Lancaster at 8:35, returning it will leave Richmond after the fair. Parties from Danville drive to Lancaster, took the train and get home tonight. The rate to Richmond is one fare for the round trip.

The Greatest Fair of the Year.

The Ladies of the Episcopal church are serving a delicious dinner for only 25 cents, in the Todd store, opposite court house.

-300 sample summer coats and vests just opened, in all the latest and best styles, at least three manufacturers, each having a dozen of Stouffer's new clothing house, Main street, opposite Madison National Bank.

-The champion shot of the world, Dr. W. E. Carver, will give a exhibition in this city in the fall during the Lexington Horse Show, Fair and Carnival, August 8 to 12. Dr. Carver has well earned this title of champion of the world, and his fancy shooting has defied the efforts of all competitors.

A Place to go.

For incisive bananas, ripe apples, cold ice-cream-soda water, fresh cakes, new candies, tobacco and cigars, go to A. Daniels, next door to old Post Office. Restaurant open day and night.

April 25-1m.

Bugle Band to Play.

Tomorrow night at Masonic Temple the Bugle Band, 4 to 12 years of age from Georgetown will give a musical concert.

A wonderful exhibition goes on.

Mr. Howard Cleland, of Lebanon, came up Saturday with the full-winged bird belonging to Mr. T. M. Estes; Neva B. in 2:30 race, raced yesterday; Gold Brown, 2:35 trot Friday; also Estes and Jackson's Red Bird in three minute trot yesterday.

Mr. Foster Lee of Lebanon, is here with his two horses, Little Hugh entered in 2:30 pace yesterday. He brought also Rawlin, 2:21 to show the folks a genuine dust rader from the Peonyville.

Clerk White Run over.

Clerk John White advertised a buggy for sale in the CLIMAX and was run over by 21 applicants in one week and sold his buggy. Moral, if you want to keep your buggy, please don't advertise in the CLIMAX.

Burton Dying.

Robert Burton, shot by Gill Prather, a week ago at Palat Lick, was in a dying condition on Monday. His slayer is in jail at Lancaster, having been held over in \$1,000 bond, to the grand jury.

W. T. Tevis goes to Congress.

Hon. W. T. Tevis has received a commission from Governor Bradley as delegate to the annual Congress of the National Prison Commission which sits at Hartford, Conn., September 23-27.

Congressman Tevis, we salute you.

Cold Camp Meeting at High Bridge, Ky.

Greatest camp meeting ever known in the State. Fine music, special attractions. Bishop Turner and Sailors will speak. Excursion rates and special trains via the Queen & Crescent Route, August 6 and 13. Ask agents for full particulars.

RIVET YOUR EYES ON US

And our stock of Hardware, Farming Implements, Stoves and Tinware, if you are alive to the necessity of saving dollars where you have been saving cents. Buying as we do, in large quantities, for ready cash, we obtain from manufacturers that enable us to sell at exceptionally LOW PRICES.

Remember that even the little items for household or outdoor use, such as Tacks, Saws, Nails, etc., a considerable saving can be affected which amounts to dollars in the aggregate.

SUPERIOR WHEAT DRILL.

See us and get prices on roofing and guttering.

W. D. BUCKLEY, Timer.

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SIZZLING HOT!

THE Busy Bee Cash Store's Great Clear- ance Sale!

Boy's Clothing That Will Make Mothers Wild to Buy.

RICHMOND is wild with excitement at the LOW PRICES for which THE BUSY BEE CASH STORE is closing out their surplus stock of seasonal Spring and Summer Goods. All our previous offers that have convulsed the people, are dwarfs in comparison to our offers in the GREAT CLEARANCE SALE. Prices that were crippled in our former offers will be killed in this great sale. The knife that was driven to the hilt will now sink to the heart. Every dollars worth of our choice stock of Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Clothing, Hats, Shoes and Furnishing Goods must go at prices completely obliterated and profit entirely ignored. No wonder disgruntled competition stands aghast. The BARGAINS we are dishing out stand unequalled, unmatched and incomparable.

Good Cassimere Knee Pants for children, 19c per pair. Children's Strictly All-wool Knee Pants, double knee and double seat, all colors, worth 75c per pair are yours in this sale for 35c.

Big Boy's Long Pants Cassimere Suits worth \$3.00 and \$4.00 will disappear in this clearance sale at \$1.98.

Big Boy's \$7.88 \$9.00 and \$10.00 Long Pant Suits, choicer assortment of fancy and plain worsted cheviots, Scotch unfinished worsteds, etc. Take your pick and fit in this sale at \$4.98.

Such Rare Bargains as These in Shoes.

Ladies' Dungaree Patent Tip solid shoes worth \$2.50 go in this sale at \$1.49; Men's \$4.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Knee Pant Suits go in this sale at \$2.69, all styles, "Cream of the Stock."

Big Boy's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Knee Pant Suits in double breeched and Reeder styles, men and serviceable, ages 3 to 14, the price in this clearance sale at 99c.

Such Sacrifices as These in Goods.

All-wool 36-inch wide Serge, Bengalines, cheviot effects, novelties, fancy patterns, etc. Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard will be slighted off in this sale at 99c per yard. Nothing reserved.

Organzines that were 25c and 35c per yard are now 12c in this sale; Wash goods of all kinds cut half into; Men's Suspenders, hair ends, worth 35c per pair are 18c in this sale.

One lot of Shirts for ladies in sizes 2½, 3, 4, and some 5's that were 25c per pair are now 12c in this sale at \$3.48.

Fine Jacquards, Poplins and many fancy weaves in all wool double width Fine Dress Goods, Former price 75c per yard will be slighted off in this sale at 40c per yard. Nothing reserved.

Special Clearance Sale saving on Ladies' Ready-made White Underwear. Ladies' Ready-made Dress Skirts, Carpets and Lace Curtains. These goods have lost the keen edge of our cold steel and stand out to you as the greatest bargains we are offering in this sale, ask to see them.

Not an article in the entire big store left untouched, this sale must be far-reaching, a clean sweeping and a great space cleaning day for us. We must have room for our fall stock and the only way we see to get it is to actually give away and throw out several thousand dollars worth of the best goods we have to our customers and let them profit by our loss. Don't fail to attend this sale.

A Great Big Lot of Men's "Too Linen" Pants and Men's Blue Camier Jeans Pants "the best" New York Mills Camier will be closed at 99c per pair.

Bring along your CASH when you come for these bargains and save time and a refusal of credit, for this is a CASH CLEARANCE SALE to make room and get cash to buy fall goods with. Very Respectfully,

- W. D. OLDHAM & COMPANY.

RICHMOND, MT. STERLING AND GEORGETOWN

Bidwell's Snow Liniment gives instant relief in cases of Bleeding Blisters, Scalds, Seals, Cuts etc. Price 25c and 50c cents at Perry & Thomas drug store, aug2-1m

Work has begun on the building of the Barret factory at Providence.

Tetter, Satr-Rheum and Dorsena.

The intense itching and soaring incident to these diseases is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Oil. This oil is a powerful antiseptic and permanently cures it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and favorite remedy for sore nipples; chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25c per box.

Pr. Cudl's Condition Penders, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and restorative, and good for the head and hindquarters and the best in muscle and bone. Price 25 cents per package.

Wheat is selling at 70 cents at Henderson.

Planter's CUBAN OIL cures

Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Rheumatism and Sores. Price, 25c cents to W. G. White.

Sometimes it is awkward for a man to fall in love, for he can't help himself.

It is scarcely a vacant house in Madisonville for rent.

The telephone line from Columbia to Playa has been completed.

When You Catch Cold

Nothing comes in so useful as a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. Good for children, good for everybody. A remedy you can always rely upon to cure a cold, an attack of common cold, or a sore throat.

It relieves me at once.

For sale by Perry & Thomas, druggists, aug2-1m

Herbine is well adapted to the cure of fevers of all kinds, because it so easily cleanses the stomach and bowels of all bilious humors, and expels all impure secretions of the body. Price 25 cents For sale by Perry & Thomas, druggists, aug2-1m

Our Goods AND Our prices

Compel you to trade with us when you give us a trial.

The Latest,
The Best Style,
Comfort,
Durability.

The ladies cannot be deceived by catchy phrases nor bombastic claims. All we have to say is, we buy in the best markets of the world, select the latest goods, and when you buy you know you have the latest, up-to-date goods. Is that what you want? If so, trade with

White AND Gibson.

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SYRUP PEPSIN
CURES CONSTIPATION.

W.H. Hoshal & Co.

Commission
Merchants.

Cattle, Hogs and Sheep.

UNION STOCK YARDS,

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TELEPHONE 7346.

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DROPSY CURED with vegetabili
fied remedies. Have cured
many thousand cases in ten
days at least two-thirds of all symptoms remov-
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Coolest and most refreshing
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General Saratoga Water Kept on Tap.

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Weak
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FRENCH REMEDY

Now within easy reach of every American,
this remarkable French Remedy is the only one
to cure the most complicated case of nervous headache
existing. It acts powerfully and quickly.

No Man or Woman will ever
use the use of REGENER.

Young men will re-
cover from their first visit to the doctor.

Older men will recover
from their first visit to the doctor.

Women will recover
from their first visit to the doctor.

Children will recover
from their first visit to the doctor.

It is a marvellous Blood Purifier.

It cures all Skin Diseases.

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THIS WEEK'S
Special Leaders

DON'T FORGET IT

Reduced Prices.....

Clearance Sale on all
Summer Materials...Choice Styles in Lawns, Dimities, Wash
Crepons, Piques, Ginghams, and
Percales. All going at SLAUGHTER PRICES.....Wide Hamburys
Selling Cheap.

CUT PRICES ON ALL

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Women's Tan and Black Oxfords, regular
price \$1.50, can be purchased in the
next TEN DAYS for \$1.00. All others
reduced.....

Men's Fabriggan Underwear,

All sizes, good quality, at
COST. And remember our
Clothing. Suits complete at
Wholesale Prices.

Bargains in Straw Hats.

Take advantage of this Re-
duction Sale. Come to Mc-
Kee's when you want to
save money. Respectfully,

OWEN MCKEE.

SEND US ONE DOLLAR

This ad. was used to be with us \$1.00, and we will send you this ad. if you send us one dollar. You can expect it to be in our next issue, and if you find it exactly as represented, we will refund your money. We will also refund your money if you find it to be less than our advertised price. We offer a 90 day's offer price. \$1.75 is our SPECIAL 90 DAYS' PRICE

Keep Cool, Don't Get Excited,

We have just received a number of Refrigerators, Ice Boxes, Water Coolers, White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers,

Best on Earth

All kinds of Fishing Tackle; Hooks to catch everything from a Sun Perch to a Channel Mud Cat. Did we ever say anything to you about the

Deering
Harvest
Machine?

Well, we will see you later. Call and see us.

D. B. SHACKELFORD & COMPANY,

MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, KY.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR,
HON. WILLIAM GOEBEL,
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J. C. W. BECKAM,
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CORRESPONDENCE.

VALLEY VIEW

PERSONAL.

Misses Lucy and Mona Prather spent
a few days with friends in Lexington last
week.Jack Hoppe and wife, visited friends
at High Bridge last Saturday and took
in the camping meeting.S. O. Herring, of Lexington, visited
relatives and friends near here last
week.A letter from Mr. E. R. Scrivener,
who is West Cliff, Colorado, where
he went hoping that a change of ele-
ment would be beneficial to his failing
health, says that he is improving.Mrs. B. C. Hall and two children, of
Lexington, are visiting the family of
Mr. Ernest Watts, on Maple Ave.Richard Quisenberry, of Jackson,
was in our town last week, looking all
smiles, same like unto Bill Cruise.N. J. Roberts, of London, was here
last week and registered at Hotel
Goosey.

LUMBER STICKS.

Our base ball team and a team from
Lexington met on the diamond Sunday
evening at this place, and they do say
our team did some of the best play-The carpenters at work on the Mars-
Drum Co.'s building will soon have it
ready for occupancy.G. M. Lyons, who says Taylor ought
to be elected, is worrying a great deal
over the matter, losing sleep as he
sees in vision Democratic majorities
ranging from 25,000 to 40,000.

JAY L. ELLIS.

PAINT LICK.

Miss Elizabeth Embry is the guest
of Miss Jessie Parkes.W. C. Fish had 30 acres of wheat land
that yielded 25 bushels per acre.Deputy U. S. Marshal W. T. Short,
of Mt. Vernon, was here last week.Miss Jessie Parkes, spent Thursday
and Friday of last week in Richmond.Mrs. Martin and family have re-
turned from a two weeks sojourn at
Lake Springs.Several loads of export cattle, bought
by J. W. Bates, were shipped from here
and Point Levee, last week.The Kissin' Lick is abroad in our
land. Miss Mayme Rainey and Mr.
Robt. L. Jennings have both been vis-
ited by the pestiferous insect.The Paint Lick base ball team crossed
bats with the Cartersville nine Saturday.
The game resulted in a score of
34 to 22 in favor of Paint Lick.Mrs. Dr. Black, of Knoxville, accom-
panied by her two sisters, Misses Henry
and Allie Fish, of Stennard, were the
guests of W. S. Fish and wife Wednes-
day and Thursday.

WALLACETON.

Crops are looking considerable better
since the rains.

A. F. Caldwell will begin his school

the 31st of July.

Mr. W. O. Anderson and family spent
the 19th at State Lock Springs.Miss Patric Todd opened school here
Monday, with 33 in attendance.Brother Lansford preached at the
Baptist church Sunday evening at 4 o'clock.Mr. J. S. Cadle has been very low
with rheumatism, but we are glad to see
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WIT AND WISDOM.

Undertaker—"Busy?"—Second Undertaker—"Rushed to death."—Judge.

By being good to others you will be best to yourself.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

There are just as many seconds in a spare moment as there are in a full one.—Chicago Daily News.

"Were you in the gun-line during the war?"—"Yes, I was one of the cooks."—Yonkers Statesman.

May—"There'll be a lot of men disappointed when I marry." Edith—"You aren't going to marry more than one, are you?"—Town Topics.

The river of life is a navigable stream which, though not appropriate much money for the improvement of it, being in nobody's district in particular.—Detroit Journal.

Ikenstein—"Oh, well, I am holding my own, anyhow." Swindelbaum—"What does it amount to? Ven you get to holding other people's own, den you can begin to sprin'." Life.

He's got a little thief over there? He doesn't look like a thief, and yet his name is in everyone's mouth?"—Joey—"So who is he?" Hoax—"Why, his name's Mohler."—Philadelphia Record.

Cite Editor—"Mr. Strong has been in town, and he's murder in his voice."—Editor—"And he's the man speak of Mrs. Strong's 'alleged husband' in that paragraph about her accident?" J. Fresh—"I did it to steer clear of a libel suit. You know you told me always to 'alleged thief,' 'alleged murderer,' and that sort of thing."—Boston Transcript.

THE FLORIDA GOPHER.

It is a Tortoise and Lives in the Ground With Rattlesnakes and Lizards.

The most interesting creature I ever saw in Florida," said a New York man who spent the winter there, "was the burrowing tortoise. This tortoise is peculiar in the domestic economy of the cracker population, for the Florida cracker dotes on the gopher—that's what they call this burrowing turtle—and thinks it is the finest thing in the world. I don't think it's true. I don't agree with him on that, though. He didn't approve of the company the gopher is in the habit of keeping, and I can't see anything can be real good and keep bad company. The gopher eats a hole and a large one in the ground and remains in it all the time except when it goes hunting on that side without shifting the sand to its position. The operator throws the clipper with handles would be worked by hand, only many times faster. The operator simply holds the clipper and guides it over the surface to be clipped. Nowadays this sort of clipper is operated also by machine power, a gas engine being used for this purpose, and with power clippers horses are clipped in less time still."

In a horse-clipping establishment where machine power is used the gas engine is belted to a shaft made fast to the ceiling from which power is transmitted to each of the four wheels on either side of the room, attached to the ceiling by hangers in the usual manner. Hanging from each of these pulleys is a long, flexible shaft within its flexible tubing. The shaft is attached to the clipper with an eccentric. When the shaft turns the eccentric moves the clipper and the hair is transferred the whirling motion of the net from the wagon, where a lot of coarse, common dogs were already scurriedly established.

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HORSE CLIPPING.

Done Nowdays in Far Quicker Time Than Formerly and at Much Less Cost.

In the old days, with comb and shears, and he had to be an expert to do it in that time. With the introduction of the hand clipper, such as is used for clipping men's hair into this use, the time required for clipping a horse was reduced to half a minute. This horse can be operated with hand power, by use of a crank, and then the time required for clipping a horse was still further reduced.

In the case of these hand-power clippers the clipper is attached to a sturdy frame, and a large wheel, of sheet metal of steel wire linked together like a chain. To keep this flexible shaft from kinking and twisting when it is turned it is incased and carried in a flexible tubing. The shaft is made to turn by attachment of an iron arm to the center wheel which is turned by means of a belt from it to another wheel, which is turned by a crank. These wheels are supported, the larger one, to which the crank is attached, on a standard resting on the floor; the smaller one, to which the flexible shaft is attached, is set by the standard. Turning the wheel turns the flexible shaft within its flexible tubing. The shaft is attached to the clipper with an eccentric. When the shaft turns the eccentric moves the clipper and the hair is transferred the whirling motion of the net from the wagon, where a lot of coarse, common dogs were already scurriedly established.

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SHREWD DOG LICENSE.

Because the Chilly Metal Gave the Dainty Dooley Diaz, a Cold in the Chest.

A few afternoons ago a tall young man, unusually large and varied in his attire, came to the office of the sheriff, dressed down uptown Seventeenth street, closely followed by a tiny, shaggy, croaking Chihuahua dog. The dog was wearing a small woven harness trimmed with cerise ribbon. He did not permit himself to be left more than two feet to the rear of his master's heels.

At one of the corners there was a slender male, and a gaunt one, in a suit and tie, who was the young woman and her dog were walking. A big black dog catcher sprang from the rear of the cage and wagged in a trifle less than no time the pampered little Mexican dog was within the meshes of the dog catcher's net. The dog catcher transferred the whining canine to the net on the wagon, where a lot of large, coarse, common dogs were already scurriedly established.

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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

Because Henriette of Belgium takes a daily drive of ten miles.

Admiral Dewey says the first bit of fiction he ever read was "Robinson Crusoe."

Salt herring is Paul Kruger's favorite delicacy. He eats it at least once each day.

The man of Hayes City, Kan., is only 22 years old, the youngest of the council of 22, and the oldest man in the municipal government is 29.

R. W. Chambers, when writing many books, gives him time to many facts.

Charles Havemeyer, wife of the sugar magnate, is, feature for feature, an exact counterpart of the beautiful duchess of Portland, and Lady Curzon, vice versa. The doublet is the double of the dress of the dogcatcher's net.

"Papa," she said, when the opportunity offered, "I told Henry what you said about him the other evening."

"I hope you did, my dear," he answered, in a tone which conveyed the idea that it meant it.

"Indeed," he responded, "that particular thing you said about him he never would set the world on fire."

"I suppose he thought, and no doubt said, 'I was mistaken, didn't he?'" said the father, with a smile of pleasure.

"No, papa, he did not."

"Indeed," he responded, in astonishment. "I'm surprised that he did not assume that you would do so as soon as he got the chance. That is what his kind always do."

"Indeed," he said. "It said that your marking such a remark showed how poor your judgment was."

HOW HE WON HER.

He Merely Had to Talk Business with Her Father and the Prize Was His.

He was a bright young chap, and well worth of regard, even if the fatality of "up-and-down" life had not been his. I know who, by the way, is a successful insurance man, did think he was lame, inactive and ineligible. The girl didn't think as her father did, which was a great deal of consolation in a time like this. She had often heard her father talk over the paternal opinions, sat up many evenings devising ways and means to secure a reversal of judgment. The young man, of course, never saw the father on the subject, but the girl did, and she often heard him say that the hanging of John Yates Beall, a native of Virginia, and born in 1833, and hanged on the 25th of February, 1865, as a spy. A sketch was made in the confederate paper, which was a surgeon in the New York navy, and the man was the double of the dogcatcher's net.

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LINCOLN'S ASSASSINATION.

He Said to Have Been Killed by Booth Because of the Hanging of John Yates Beall.

We were much interested in a short article in a recent number of *Wakefield's Magazine*, in which it was written by George A. Foote, son of the late Dr. George A. Foote, of Warrenton, an honored and highly reputable physician, lately deceased. He first gives an extract from "Appleton's Cyclopaedia of Biography" (wrongly printed "Biography"), of the hanging of that gallant soldier, John Yates Beall, on the 25th of February, 1865, as a spy. A sketch was made in the confederate paper, which was a surgeon in the New York navy, and the man was the double of the dogcatcher's net.

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"SWIPES" CAME BACK.

The Remarkable Return of a Dog to His Master from Denver to St. Louis.

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MARRIAGE HEALS THE FEUD.

Two Warring Families of Kentucky Lay Down Their Arms Forever.

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A certain St. Louis merchant who was at the time of the incident herein was a man of means, living in Denver and largely engaged in business. The Dandie Diamond setter, named for that inscrutable reason by which many men will degrade some of the noblest of beasts with belittling titles, "Swipes," the lady of his future heart and home, having seen and learned an ardent attachment to the dog, Captain, Capt. Yates Beall, a native of Virginia, and born in 1833, and hanged on the 25th of February, 1865, as a spy. A sketch was made in the confederate paper, which was a surgeon in the New York navy, and the man was the double of the dogcatcher's net.

The convicts of Sing Sing, N. Y., have started, under the warden's supervision, a biweekly journal, the Star of Hope. But there is said to be only one newspaper man among the many hundred prisoners there.

Robert H. P. Foote, the new president of Harvard University, is an "all-round man" rather than a specialist, his characteristics being more literary than scientific. Dr. Faunce is only 41 years old, but already has a splendidly selected library of nearly 6,00